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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

SR 80 'Death Trap'

(Editorial from Palm Beach Post)

Some few years ago, Palm Beach County was plagued by a notorious "death trap" at Six-Mile Bridge, on SR 80, in the Everglades. Some 18 or 20 persons were killed at that fatal crossing within a period of about three months. County officials, the public, and newspapers got up in arms and demanded that the State Road Dept. do something about eliminating the death trap there.

After a period of time, the county put flashing lights at each end of the perilous bridge, and, some time later, due to pressure from various sources, the SRD got busy, let contracts, eliminated the span and straightened the road to knock out the dangerous right angle turn that had brought death to a score or more, and injury to others, in a short period of time.

Now Palm Beach County has been harboring another "death trap."

This new one is at the intersection of SR 80 (Southern Blvd. extension) and SR 7, which starts at Okeechobee Rd. some eight miles west of the city, and goes to Hollywood and Miami. Recently, the SRD constructed a new, wide concrete bridge over the West Palm Beach Canal at the intersection of the two heavily traveled highways, eliminating the old, narrow wooden bridge upon which also had occurred several bad accidents in recent months.

But, what happened? Drivers, informed they now had a wide, smooth concrete bridge across the canal on SR 7, proceeded, many of them, to go soaring across SR 80 without stopping at all, and the result was several bad crashes with at least two deaths within two days.

So, another death trap was formed. Then the County Commission asked the SRD to place a traffic light at the dangerous intersection, but was informed that the State department never operated such lights on highways.

Then, the County Commission, at the instigation of Commissioner Paul Rardin, Canal Point, voted to place the light there at county cost, and attempt to at least minimize the present death trap there.

The County Commission is to be commended for this stand, and it is fervently hoped that the new traffic light there will prove efficient in halting accidents at this new "death trap."

SRD Says SR80 Not To Be Rebuilt Now

The State Road Department plans no immediate rebuilding of a section of State Road 80 which the county commission asked be placed on an emergency status.

A week ago, Commissioner Paul Rardin, introduced a resolution asking the SRD to declare a section of State Road 80 between South Bay and Six Mile Bend, an emergency project and that the road be rebuilt.

This week Rardin told the county commission that he had received a telegram from Wilbur Jones, chairman of the SRD, advising him that the state would continue to make repairs to maintain traffic over the road but would undertake no major rebuilding job at this time.

A traffic fatality at the junction of State Road 80 and State Road 7 over the weekend, spurred county commissioners to clear the way for installation of a traffic light at that junction.

The commission had previously requested a traffic survey at the intersection but final results of the

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Coffee Shop Now Operated By Popes

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. (Shorty) Pope have taken over operation of the Coffee Shop in Canal Point. The Popes have lived in Canal Point for many years and have a wide circle of friends who will be happy to know that they are now operating the popular eating place.

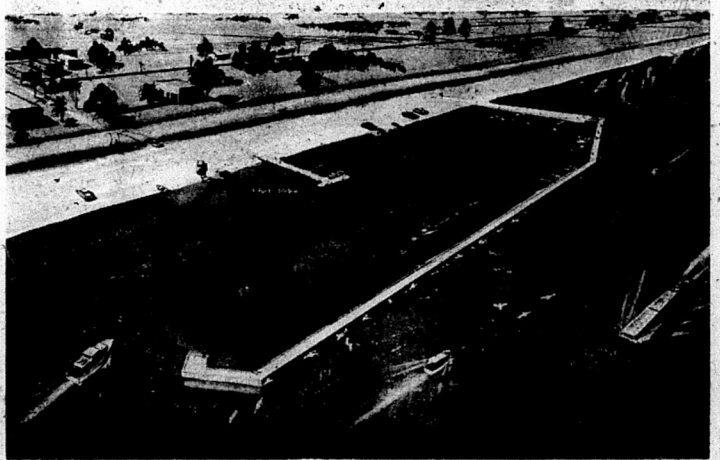
Chamber Thanks 4th Fete Workers

The Glades-wide Fourth of July celebration at the Pahokee water-front, sponsored by the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce, was reported an outstanding success at a meeting of the CC executive board Tuesday night, with President M. P. Stanley presiding. Several hundred cars were parked on the lake side of the levee during the late afternoon and evening and Police Chief Leon Guthrie estimated 5,000 persons were present.

President Stanley commended those in charge of arrangements for the celebration and the committees for the manner in which

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Architect's Idea Of What Pahokee Breakwater Will Look Like



Above is shown the architect's sketch of the proposed Breakwater for which the City of Pahokee has contracted with Cleary Brothers of West Palm Beach in the amount of \$182,493.75. The money for the project was borrowed by the city from the Internal Improvement Fund in Tallahassee and will be repaid over a 20 year period out of the state cigarette tax money received monthly by the city. E. C. (Ken) Mock and Associates of Lake Worth are engineers for the project. Kenne is the son of J. C. Mock of Pahokee and for a time was associated with the Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District before opening his offices in Lake Worth.

Statement Shows Healthy Condition Bank Of Pahokee

With deposits well over the Six Million dollar mark, the statement of condition of the Bank of Pahokee, as called for by the State Comptroller on June 30, shows that financial institution to be in a sound, healthy and steadily growing condition. The bank had higher deposits on June 30 this year, when the state comptroller issued his call, than on any June 30 since the bank was organized in 1922.

Bank President Harry M. McIntosh, in commenting upon the splendid condition in which depositors find the Bank, said: "We are indeed grateful to our many friends and patrons in the Lake Okeechobee Region who have made this excellent showing possible. At all times we exercise diligence and care in the operation of the bank, but, believe that a growing and prosperous community should have benefit of a banking institution that renders a service commensurate with the needs of that community. That we try to do."

Deposits on June 30 were \$6,102,702.39, the published statement shows. Loans and discounts amounted to only \$1,514,196.26. Thus showing the bank to be in exceptionally healthy liquid condition. The full and complete statement of condition of the bank appears on the back page of this newspaper. Turn to it and see for yourself what an outstanding financial institution is at your service. It is the oldest bank in Palm Beach county, having weathered the financial storm which followed the busting of the Florida real estate boom in 1926. The bank also came through the depression bank holiday in 1933 with flying colors.

Pahokee Permits Show Upward Trend

Permits were issued for building construction totaling \$295,672 in Pahokee during the first six-month period, ending June 30, according to Frank Thompson, city building inspector, who said this represents a gain of \$34,288 over last year's building total for the first half of the year.

New residential building and the expansion of local schools account for most of the total, Thompson said.

Muck City Road To Get Federal Aid

Designation of a portion of Muck City Road in the Everglades as a Federal aid project was announced this week by Commissioner Paul Rardin.

Rardin had previously designated a portion of the road from Pelican Lake Village to Connors Highway, as a link to be built with funds returned to the county from gasoline taxes.

Under the designation announced this week, that portion of the road planned for construction will be eligible for federal aid.

In connection with another Everglades road—a link between State Roads 717 and 15, Commissioner Rardin told the county board that both Agriculture Commissioner Nathan Mayo and Cliff Green, superintendent of the state prison farm, have recommended to the state that 100 feet of right of way be given to the county. The right of way will come from state owned lands on which the prison farm is located. Rardin said the new road will be known as the County Bap Road.

Miss Kansas Todd is visiting relatives in Mississippi.

Pahokee Drug Co Is Now Operating Bob & Jenny Store

In a deal which went into effect on Tuesday of this week Bob and Jenny's Sundry Store in Pahokee was sold to Dr. W. T. Ankerbrand who is conducting the concern under the name of Pahokee Drug Company. He and his family will move to Pahokee just as soon as a place is available.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Chamberlain have been operating the place as a sundry store but Dr. Ankerbrand opened it up with a full and complete prescription department. He is a registered pharmacist with many years experience.

Another innovation for the store is installation of a steam table and grill which will enable them to serve hot lunches and short orders. The counter was extended to the rear of the store and all tables removed making it much easier to serve the public.

Dr. Ankerbrand had had the air conditioning unit put into first class running order and the store is an invitingly cool spot to visit. He extends a cordial invitation to Glades folks to visit his store and see what he has to offer in his first class drug store.

Second Polio Shot Available Next Week

Next week is the last chance for those in the Glades who are supposed to get their second polio injection, according to notice from the County Health Department. Following next week's injections, what vaccine is left over will be sent to other counties where it is needed.



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Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

Hello everybody! Speaking of the luck of the Irish, there's the Hollywood case of Audrey Dalton. The young charmer from Dublin, by way of London, landed in America on St. Patrick's day of 1952. In just a little more than two years the blue-eyed, brown-haired colleen has: Landed leading roles in five important pictures. Been married and had a bouncing baby daughter, Tara by name. Made a trip to Korea to entertain American soldiers. Toured all over the United States in personal appearances plugging one of her pictures, thereby building up a big fanmail audience. Audrey has adapted herself to Hollywood and has a lovely home a short drive from the studios. She is devoted to her family, a charming hostess and an interesting conversationalist and it is predicted by those in the know that the clever little lady from the

"auld sod" is destined to become one of Hollywood's favorite leading lady. Alan Ladd's independent, Jaguar Productions, has optioned her services for one picture a year for the next five years. See you at the movies—Mal.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Maxwell are guests this week of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Gilbert, in ChIPLEY, Fla.

LOCAL WILDLIFE CLUB RATES THIRD IN STATE

The Pahokee Junior Wildlife Club ranked third in activities among the Junior Conservation groups of the State during the Month of April, according to a report given by Denver Sta. Claire in the July issue of Florida Wildlife Magazine. W. A. Reynolds is leader of the Pahokee Club.

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Chamber Thanks—

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all activities of the celebration were handled. The group gave a vote of thanks to the American Red Cross for use of its emergency first aid equipment which was standing by in case of accidents.

F. S. (Dick) Parrish, chairman in charge of the CC-sponsored fishing contest which ended last month, reported the successful contest attracted widespread interest among fishing fans and all prizes awarded in the contest have been presented to the various winners. It was reported the erection of new signs publicizing the location of the local CC office have been erected.

A resolution was passed giving the chamber's full support to the pending U. S. Senate Bill 1635 for increasing the domestic sugar quotas.

Yvonne Thompson Wins Swim Meet

Yvonne Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson of Pahokee, won first place in the 25-yard free style race (midget division) at the County swim meet in West Palm Beach, last week. Yvonne, who is a fifth grade pupil at the Pahokee Elementary School, did the 25 yards in 15.2 seconds, cutting two tenths of a second off the state record.

Two other Pahokee girls, Judy and Kay Canipe, daughters of Principal and Mrs. Clyde A. Canipe, also did well in midget division contests at the County meet. Judy won second place in the 25-yard back stroke and Kay, third place in the 25-yard breast stroke contest.

All three of the girls are eligible to participate in the South Florida finals of the Junior Olympics AAU Swimming and Diving Championships to be held at Curtis Park in Miami July 15-16.

Joint Meeting Of Legion & Auxiliary

Members of the Pahokee American Legion Post 90 at the regular weekly meeting in the Legion Hall on East Main St. announced plans for a joint meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary May night July 11. The two groups will meet jointly once a month through the coming year if present plans materialize.

A. E. Early, Post 90's new commander, expects to have his list of standing committees ready for naming at the July 11th meeting.

Assignments were given to various members to assist police officers with the direction of traffic and the parking of cars at the Fourth of July celebration on the Pahokee waterfront. The Pahokee Legionnaires were also to assist with the formation of the color guard.

Mrs. J. E. Williams and Velma have returned home after a visit in St. Augustine.

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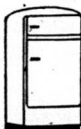
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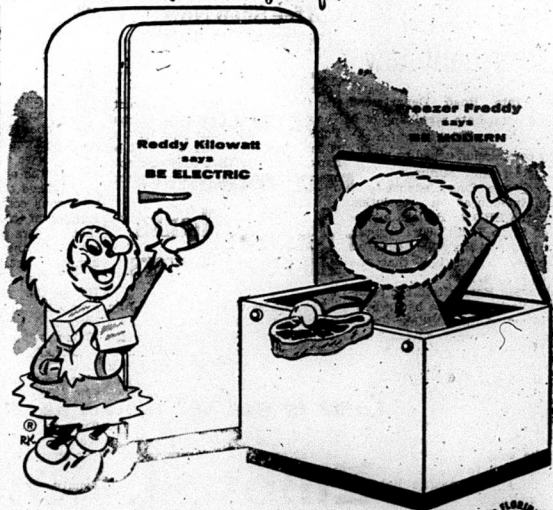
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3,422 Palm Beach Co. Folks Receive Aid

Thomas E. Penick, chairman of the District Board No. 10 of the State Department of Public Welfare, reports that in Palm Beach County 3,422 persons were assisted in the three categories of public assistance for the month of June.

A total of 1,559 persons received Old Age Assistance to the amount of \$69,314.00. 80 persons received Aid to the Blind, totaling \$3,949.00. 454 families, representing 1,407 children received Aid to Dependent Children in the amount of \$25,400.50.

In addition, 122 children received

ed service during the month, 28 of whom were in foster homes. The total State and local cost for these child welfare services was \$1,935.60.

There were 2 adoption petitions studied for the Circuit Court. These are children placed in homes independent of service through a licensed child placement agency, and the Welfare Board is responsible according to law to make these reports to the Court.

Palm Beach County is also represented on the District No. 10 Board by Mrs. Doris Sasser of Pahokee; Doyle Morgan of Delray Beach; Mrs. Lucile Turnage and Mrs. Helen D. Woodward of West Palm Beach.

Michael Reviews Growth Of County

Roy Michael, a member of the Palm Beach County Commission and former member of the Pahokee High School faculty, was guest speaker at last week's Thursday luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Rotary Club. Introduced by his colleague, Commissioner Paul Rardin of Canal Point, the speaker reviewed the development of Palm Beach County.

It was announced application for membership into the club has been made by Rev. A. D. Houghlin, new pastor of the First Methodist Church, and by Elmer (Babs) Upthegrove, proprietor of Upthegrove's grocery.

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Oscar B. McClure, past president, presided in the absence of the retiring president, Thadd Whidden.

This was the last meeting of the club's 1954-55 year, with the new president, Bascom A. Belcher, and other new officers scheduled to assume their duties of office at July 7th meeting.

METHODIST ATTEND DISTRICT BOARD MEET

Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Houghlin and Mrs. William McClenathan attended the meeting of the District Stewards and the District Board of Missions of the West Palm Beach District of Methodist Churches at the Northwood Methodist Church, West Palm Beach, Wednesday.

Pahokee Folks Go To Class Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McIntosh of Pahokee have returned from Fort Pierce, where they attended the 10th anniversary reunion of the St. Lucie County High School Class of 1945 of which Mrs. McIntosh was a member. The affair included a banquet at one of the East Coast City's beautiful resort restaurants, an all day fishing trip to the Gulf Stream and an all day picnic on the shores of the Atlantic Ocean. More than 90 people from five states attended the reunion. Mr. McIntosh is employed in the drainage offices in Canal Point.

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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Roland R. Bramble and son have been visiting in Macon, Ga., before going to Delaware where Mr. Bramble will be engaged in the vegetable produce trucking business this summer.

Mrs. Clyde Alley and children are spending a vacation with relatives in Kentucky.

Mrs. Lela Davis had as guests over the weekend her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis. Mr. Davis is a warrant officer in the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Scruggs, Sr. spent the holiday weekend with relatives in Morven, Ga. where they will attend a reunion of the Scruggs and Lawson families.

Col. and Mrs. W. S. Evans have returned from a visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Evans, Jr., in Lexington, Ky., and other relatives and friends in Texas and Alabama. They were accompanied back to their home at Cypress Lodge by his aunt, Miss Jessie Settle of Russellville, Ky., who is their house guest.

Mrs. Ruth Meredith, accompanied by her sisters, Mrs. Kenneth Lutz of Belle Glade, Mrs. Willard Smith of Lake Worth and Miss Carrie Wiley of Pueblo, Colo., is spending a two weeks' vacation touring Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sanders are on a summer tour which will include New Orleans, La., Tennessee and Georgia. Enroute they will visit his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Wilson, in Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ridenour and son, McKinley, accompanied by Robert Nance, left Friday for a visit with relatives in Lake City, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dulany and son, Phillip, who have been staying at Gainesville while he is employed in that area, spent the weekend at their home in Pahokee. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Padgett, University of Florida students, who visited relatives here.

Miss Martha Gail Ammons of Canal Point is the house guest of her aunt, Mrs. Noel J. Dyer, in West Palm Beach while attending summer school there.

Mrs. C. B. Jones and Alton have returned after two weeks visiting in Georgia and North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Don B. Kepp spent the Fourth of July holidays in Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Geiger were the week end guests of relatives in Gainesville, Fla.

Laith Nall of Ocala spent the week end with Mrs. Laith Nall at Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kepp and son, Robin, of Baltimore, Maryland, and Mrs. Letha Kepp of Wauchula were the over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Kepp on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chastain and Dorothy were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Griffiths of Tampa. They were accompanied home by their grandson, Mark, who will visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dobrow and family spent the Fourth with his parents who are vacationing in Daytona Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fraser visited in Tampa and Largo during the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Branch and boys left Tuesday for a vacation in Dublin, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Echols and Terry were week end visitors in Fort Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Scruggs attended a family reunion in Morven, Ga. the past week end.

Mrs. Mamie Pugh returned to her home Sunday after several days' spent in St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. Bertha Straling and Leroy Henderson returned home Tuesday evening after spending a few days at Sanibel Island.

Mrs. Carrie Humphries has returned from a vacation spent with relatives at Baker, Fla. She was accompanied on her vacation by her son, Trooper Charles Humphries of LaBelle, and was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. C. S. Howell, who is her house guest.

Memorial Hospital to the Miami Medical Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers Fountain and sons spent the holiday weekend at Fort Myers Beach.

C. L. Wilder is a patient at the Everglades Memorial Hospital this week.

SRD Says SR 80 Not—

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study have not yet been received.

The commission this week, after a telephone conversation with SRD officials, ordered installation of a traffic light after being advised that the road department would concur in the action.

The most graceful specimens of Florida's state tree, the Sabal palm or Palmetto, are found growing alongside and extending over the river in Hillsborough River State Park near Tampa.

THEATRES

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9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Training Union
7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship

The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

B. William Palmer, pastor

SUNDAY:

10:00 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship

TUESDAYS:

7:30 p. m.—Youth Choir Practice
7:30 p. m.—Woman's Society
1st and 3rd Tuesdays

2nd MONDAY:

7:30 p. m.—Esther Class Meeting

WEDNESDAY:

7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting
8:15 p. m.—Choir Practice

Canal Point Baptist Church

Joe G. Clements, pastor

SUNDAY:

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p. m.—Training Union
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship

WEDNESDAY:

7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

The Church Of God Of Prophecy

Canal Point Road
John H. Kinard, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service
7:45 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p. m. Tuesday—V. L. B.
8:00 p. m. Thursday—W. M. B.
Everyone welcome. Special music and singing.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Hatfield of Pahokee announce the birth of a son, Michael Eugene, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, June 30.
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Murdock of Belle Glade announce the birth of a daughter, Patricia Ann, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, July 1.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parsons of Belle Glade announce the birth of a son, Frederick Allen, July 4.

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Plaintiff

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Oct. 17-54-ch.

First Methodist Church, Pahokee

Rembert A. Guy, pastor

SUNDAY:

9:45 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—MYF
7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship

MONDAY:

7:00 p. m.—Vesper Choir practice

WEDNESDAY:

7:45 p. m.—Mid-week devotions
8:15 p. m.—Senior Choir practice

Church Of God

(Barfield Highway)

9:45 A. M.—Sunday School
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship
7:00 P. M.—L. W. W. B. (Parsonage)

7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship

7:30 P. M. Tuesday—Prayer Meeting

7:00 P. M. Friday—Children's Church

7:30 P. M. Friday—Y. P. E.

Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

Humanity's need for clear thinking and Christlike living will be stressed at Christian Science services this Sunday.

Reading from the King James Version of the Bible and "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will comprise the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Sacrament."

The following passage will be among those read from Science and Health: "Ask yourself: Am I living the life that approaches the supreme good? Am I demonstrating the healing power of Truth and Love? If so, then the way will grow brighter 'unto the perfect day.' Your fruits will prove what the understanding of God brings to man" (496:9 Ask. 14).

The Golden Text is from Leviticus (19:2): "Speak unto all the congregation of the children of Israel, and say unto them, Ye shall be holy: for I the Lord your God am holy."

Keith Padgett Easy Talent Show Winner

Malcolm Millar's Talent Scout Show was welcomed at the Prince Theatre by a large crowd and the show was enthusiastically received.

Keith Padgett, a pint sized version of the famous Davy Crockett walked away with the top prize. Dressed as the historic character so popular with the children of today, Keith sang the song Davy Crockett and received a roar of approval.
Glenda Paye Russom took second place with her rendition of St. Louis Blues and The Bumble Boogie at the piano. Glenda displayed a fine musical knowledge and bowed to loud applause of approval.

Adopted, two girls billed as "Two of a Kind" and composed of Ann Rita Burns and Glenda Paye Russom, offered "Pledging My Love" and encoored with "Goodnight Sweetheart, Goodnight," took third place.

Hester Shultz, a dainty little miss, offered a tap dance which was well received by the large crowd.

Miss Betty Michell, dancing instructor from West Palm Beach, is making her home with Mrs. Pauline Rice in Pahokee while working in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Padgett have as house guests their grandchildren Duncan and Donna Joy Padgett of Loganville, Ga., and Frankie Gracia of Tampa.

Thomas Howes, Jr., Is New Evangelist

Thomas Howes, Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Howes, former Pahokee residents now living in Jacksonville, received a B. D. degree from Garrett Biblical Institute June 13.

While attending Garrett he served as recreation director for the Illinois Children's Home and Aid Society and as pastor for the Methodist Church in Leroy, Ind. He was ordained a deacon in the Methodist Church in 1953 and in June, became an elder at a service at Florida Southern College, Lakeland, with Bishop John Branscom officiating.

He will spend the summer with the Seventy Evangelists, a group of theological students from various seminaries, sponsored by the Methodist Board of Evangelism. They took a week of intensive training at Lake Junaluska, N. C., before going out as teams on evangelistic and church promotional work. On Oct. 1 he will join the U. S. Air Force as a chaplain.

Pahokee Scouts To Visit Lake Osborne

Pahokee Boy Scout Troop 28 at its regular weekly meeting made plans for spending a week at the Gulf Stream Council's Camp at Lake Osborne, starting July 10. Reservations have been made at the camp for 15 members of Troop 28. They will be accompanied by Scoutmaster Louis F. Mims.

Troop 28 is conducting regular meetings and continuing its activities through the summer season. On Monday evening four of Troop 28 scouts, John Usher, Charley Rewis, Joey Alderman and Roger Watson, made up one of the squads of the four-squad color guard that participated in the Fourth of July celebration at the Pahokee waterfront. Recently Scoutmaster Mims and Neighborhood Commissioner Ed Carver took the troop to Twentymile Bend where the scouts were shown the world's largest low-level pumping station on a guided tour by the station's engineers. From there they went to Palm Beach for a beach party before returning home.

Workshops Planned On Alcohol, Narcotics

Dr. Harry S. Warner, Columbus, Ohio, will be a principal speaker at two July workshops for Florida on beverage alcohol and narcotics education.

Plans announced by the General Extension Division of Florida call for the first workshop to be held at the University of Florida, July 26-27; the second workshop is scheduled for July 28-30, at the University of Miami.

The workshops are designed to train leaders for a more effective educational program in home, church, school and community concerning the alcohol problem, according to Troy M. Wakfield, workshop coordinator for the Division.

Working with the universities in the programs are the Florida Cooperative Committee on Beverage Alcohol and Narcotics Education, United Christian Action, Inc. and the Florida Council of Churches.

Dr. Warner is general secretary of the Inter-Collegiate Association for the Study of the Alcohol Problem, with headquarters in Columbus. Serving with Warner as a faculty for the workshop are the following:

Miami: Major McKinley Ash, City Mission; Rev. Withers Blake, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church; Mrs. G. V. Crawford; Dr.

Importance Civil Defense Stressed In July 4th Speech

The vital importance of Civil Defense in the over all defense setup of the Nation was stressed by Col. Thomas H. Goodman, regional director for Civil Defense in Southeastern United States, in an address to the 5,000 persons attending the Glades-wide Fourth of July celebration at the Pahokee waterfront Monday evening.

Introduced by M. P. Stanley, president of the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce, the guest speaker said our forefathers who founded our Nation 170 years ago knew the meaning of sacrifice as they came to the decision to promulgate the now famous Declaration of Independence and it behooves us in this era of danger we are now facing to contemplate what our precious independence means to us and what it would mean were we to lose it.

He pointed out that the Communists, whose political ideology calls for the subjugation of the entire world to the tenets of Communism, now have the means in the form of both plane and atom bombs for a devastating surprise attack on the United States from almost any direction, and so long as this venomous ideology exists in the mentality of a powerful nation every other nation is in danger of a surprise knockout blow from the air.

Ending his talk with a plea he said, "Please do not take the gamble of inviting such an attack with complacency. Establish in your area alert, efficient units of the Ground Observer Air Corps which are necessary links in the national chain of Civil Defense. Your Nation needs your help in Civil Defense no longer as an emergency measure but rather as a way of life from now on as long as the ideology of Communism continues to threaten our very existence."

Other guests of honor on the speaker's platform were Rep. Emmett Roberts, County Commissioners Ben F. Sundy, Paul Rardin, Kenneth P. Foster, Roy Michael and Lake Lytal. Mayor Lewis Friend and Mr. Stanley were also seated there.

Leonard Dobrow acted as master of ceremonies on the program which opened with the presentation of the Colors by a color guard commanded by Dave Stockman of Clewiston and made up of members Glades Company E, Florida National Guard, the Clewiston unit of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Pahokee American Legion Post 90 and Pahokee Boy Scout Troop 28.

Music was furnished by the Cee Jays Orchestra of Belle Glade and the Upthegrove Quartet, made up of singers from Canal Point, Pahokee and Belle Glade. The Cee Jays furnished the accompaniment for the mass singing of the National Anthem.

Also featured on the program was the presentation of the awards to the three top winners of the black bass fishing contest sponsored by the Pahokee C. of C. Mrs. Pearl Raulerson of Pahokee received the first place prize, a trophy and several pieces of fishing equipment, for her 8-lb. entry, Joe Cherry, Jr., and Willie Veal, both of Canal Point, were awarded second and third place prizes of their 7 lb. 12 oz. and 7 lb. 4 oz. entries. The presentations were made by Mr. Stanley.

The evening program ended with a fireworks display originating from the city pier with Milton Carpenter of Belle Glade in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maxson were Ft. Lauderdale visitors during the week end.

George Epley, University of Miami; Rev. Russell Handy; Helen Kunde; Chief T. W. Norton, Miami Police Dept.; Dr. Homer L. Pearson, physician; Mrs. Herbert G. Peck; Ben Porch, Miami Public Schools; Dean Russell A. Rascoe; College of Law, University of Miami; Mrs. George Skinner; James Smith, Juvenile Court counselor; Capt. Stovall, Salvation Army; Glenn Sudduth, sheriff's office.

Lampi Looking For Bass Drum Player

Bandmaster Robert O. Lampi reports excellent progress is being made in the Summer Music Program which he is directing at the Pahokee School under the auspices of the County Board of Public Instruction and the State Department of Education.

As the six-week program nears its halfway mark there are 27 beginners and 40 regular band members registered and attending classes. Children returning home from vacation and others who have not yet registered still have an opportunity to participate in the last half of the music training program.

There are still four school owned instruments, one bass drum, two saxophones and one bassoon, available for use by students who have not registered to date. Mr. Lampi is especially desirous of finding a player for the bass drum and would like also to see the other three instruments put into use.

At the Pahokee City park the Summer Recreation Program, also sponsored by the County School Board, is attracting more and more children each week, according to Coach Bill Howard, codirector. On Wednesday there were 133 children registered for participation in the program, Howard said.

Board Of Review For Scout Troop 28

A Board of Review for Pahokee Boy Scout Troop 28 was conducted Tuesday night in the scout hut adjoining Mims' welding shop on Barfield Highway. Serving on the board were Robert McIntosh, advancement chairman; Ed Carver, neighborhood commissioner, and Vance Denton.

Scoutmaster Louis Mims presented seven members of his troop to the board with applications for merit badges or advancements.

In the advancements tests the board approved the advancement of Freddie Hickerson and Denny Padgett from second class to first class scouts, and the advancement of Charley Rewis, Roger Watson and Eddie Crews from tenderfoot rating to second class scouts.

Carol Watson passed tests for three merit badges; Freddie Hickerson, three; John Usher, four; Denny Padgett, two, and Roger Watson, one.

Ed Rivers Buys WWPG In Palm Beach

Charles Davis, who established radio station WWPG in Palm Beach in 1941, Wednesday announced its sale to E. D. Rivers, Sr., former governor of Georgia, for \$185,000.

Rivers owns station WMIE in Miami.

Davis said the sale was subject to approval of the Federal Communications Commission. He said he had no immediate plans but was interested in two or three things.

The sale is the second in this area in less than a week. Sale of WEAT, Inc., was announced Sunday.

Rivers asked the communications commission Wednesday for authority to sell his controlling interest in Southern Radio and Equipment Co., Jacksonville, for \$90,000.

The company operates radio station WOBS at Jacksonville and holds a construction permit for proposed Channel 30 WOBS-TV. Carmen MacFarland, president and general manager of the company and a 21 per cent stockholder, had contracted to acquire Rivers' 60 per cent interest.

Melbourne on the Air, Inc., Melbourne, Fla., applied for a radio station on 1050 kilocycles, 500 watts, daytime only.

Mrs. Elsie Corpening a member of the nursing staff at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, has returned to her home in Ridgeport, West Va., for the summer.

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At The Close Of Business

June 30, 1955

RESOURCES

Loans & Discounts	\$1,514,196.26	
Less Reserve	56,188.26	\$1,458,008.00
Banking House		19,500.00
Furniture & Fixtures		15,000.00
Other Real Estate		7,547.20
United States Bonds ..	2,232,833.13	
State County and Municipal Bonds	9,875.00	
Stocks	5,000.00	
Cash On Hand and Due From Banks	\$2,672,404.34	\$4,920,112.47
Total	\$6,420,167.67	

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock \$	100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided Profits	67,465.28
Deposits	\$6,102,702.39
Total	\$6,420,167.67

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